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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Responsive to the FINAL Official Action mailed October 17, 2007 (for which a one-month extension of time is hereby sought), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7.